



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

DEL SOLDATO et al.

Art Unit: 1617

Application No.: 09/147,770

Examiner: R. TRAVERS

Filed: April 28, 1999

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108907-09002

For: NITRIC ESTER DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE IN URINARY
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 21, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for three months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 21, 2002 from January 21, 2003 to April 21, 2003.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$1680.00 to cover the extension fee (\$930) and the RCE fee (\$750). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Attorney Docket No 108907-09002.

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